



Welcome to the 2015-2016 season. The talented students and extraordinary faculty of the Lynn Conservatory of Music take this opportunity to share with you the beautiful world of music. Your ongoing support ensures our place among the premier conservatories of the world and a staple of our community.

- Jon Robertson, dean

There are a number of ways by which you can help us fulfill our mission:

#### Friends of the Conservatory of Music

The Friends of the Conservatory of Music is a volunteer organization formed to promote high quality performance education for exceptionally talented young musicians.

For some students, meeting the costs associated with a conservatory education can be challenging. This dedicated group provides financial support for many annual and endowed scholarships. Since its establishment in 2003, the Friends have raised significant funds through annual gifts and special events. The Gingerbread Holiday Concert is chief among them.

The Friends gather through the year for three afternoon concerts and the annual Friendship Tea, which is a thank you to all donors. Friends of the Conservatory donors also receive free access to the Lynn University Music Library and are able to purchase tickets to Conservatory performances before the general public.

#### The Leadership Society of Lynn University

The Leadership Society is the premier annual giving society for donors who are committed to ensuring a standard of excellence at Lynn for all students. Leadership Society donors make an annual gift of \$2,500 or more and have the option of directing their gift to support the Conservatory of Music. Leadership Society donors receive invitations to exclusive events throughout the year that offer opportunities to engage with other Leadership Society donors and university administrators.

#### Gift Planning

Gift planning allows you to make significant gifts to the Conservatory of Music during your lifetime or as part of an estate plan. Options include gifts of appreciated stock, charitable gift annuities, bequests and/or planned gifts.

Your contribution to the Conservatory is tax-deductible to the extent allowed by law. For additional information, please contact Lisa Miller at 561-237-7745.



Bachelor of Music Junior Recital  
Junheng Chen, violin  
Sheng-Yuan Kuan, piano  
Tuesday, February 9, 2016 at 7:30 p.m.  
Amarnick-Goldstein Concert Hall  
Boca Raton, Florida

#### Sonata No. 1 in G Minor

*Adagio*  
*Fuga*  
*Siciliano*  
*Presto*

J.S. Bach  
(1685-1750)

#### Caprice No. 21

Niccolo Paganini  
(1782-1840)

### INTERMISSION

#### Sonata No. 1 in G Major

*Vivace ma non troppo*  
*Adagio*  
*Allegro molto moderato*

Johannes Brahms  
(1833-1897)

#### Carmen Fantasy

Pablo de Sarasate  
(1844-1908)

## BIOGRAPHIES

A violinist since the age of eight, [Junheng Chen](#) now finds herself a student of Guillermo Figueroa at the Lynn Conservatory of Music in Boca Raton, Florida. In 2006, Chen won first prize of *Pugongying* National Youth Instrumental Competition in China. In 2008, Chen began studying with Song Peng at Wuhan Conservatory of Music, where she was winner of Annual Conservatory Strings Competition. In 2009, Chen had her first recital, which was held at the *BianZhong* Concert Hall. Later that year, Chen served as concertmaster for the Youth Orchestra of Wuhan Conservatory of Music. In 2010, Chen won first prize in *Qingyang* Cup violin competition and after that began studying with Kamlung Chueng. In 2015, Chen was one of the finalists of Lynn Concerto Competition. Also in the same year, she won the second prize (Alternate) of the MTNA young artist division in the Florida State Competition and the third prize (\$5000 award) of the Big Arts Classical Music Scholarship. Chen has participated in festivals such as Great Wall Academy, Shanghai Baroque Music Festival, and Bowdoin International Music Festival.

Pianist [Sheng-Yuan Kuan](#) has received accolades from many competitions, including the 13th Beethoven Piano Competition in Vienna (Best Female Pianist Award, 2009), the 12th Taipei Chopin International Piano Competition (3rd Prize, 2008), Corpus Christi International Competition in Texas (2nd Prize, 2008), and New York Kosciuszko Chopin Piano Competition (3rd Prize, 2003). Ms. Kuan has been a featured artist at the Heifetz International Music Institute, KUAF/Fulbright Summer Chamber Music Festival, and Baltimore Symphony Orchestra's Chamber Music by Candlelight series. She has performed alongside Nobuko Imai, Stefan Jackiw, Stephen Taylor, Daniel Phillips, Tim Eddy, Richard Stolzman, Keng-Yuen Tseng, Time for Three, and members of the Borromeo, Parker Quartets and Apollo Trio. Currently serving as the collaborative pianist at Lynn University's Conservatory of Music, Ms. Kuan holds degrees from the Yale School of Music and the Manhattan School of Music. She is a candidate for the Doctor of Musical Arts degree at the Peabody Conservatory.

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## UPCOMING EVENTS

### **Student Recital – Franz Felkl, violin**

Tuesday, Feb. 16 – 7:30 p.m.

Location: Count and Countess de Hoernle International Center | Amarnick-Goldstein  
Concert Hall - FREE

### **Violin Master Class with Elmar Oliveira**

Friday, Feb. 19 – 7 p.m.

Location: Count and Countess de Hoernle International Center | Amarnick-Goldstein  
Concert Hall - FREE

### **Roberta Rust Piano Recital**

Saturday, Feb. 20 – 7:30 p.m.

Location: Keith C. and Elaine Johnson Wold Performing Arts Center  
\$20 General Admission